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CATARRH
COLD IN HEAD

A GREAT COMET DUE IN 1910

The most famous of all comets, though not the largest and most brilliant, will again be visible in 1910. This is Halley's comet, so called from its identification by the great astronomer who was the friend of Sir Isaac Newton. Halley's investigations of astronomical records led him to assert that the comet which he had observed in 1682 had appeared in 1531 and 1607 and to predict its reappearance in 1759. The fulfillment of his prophecy excited the most intense scientific interest and established beyond doubt the periodicity of comets and their movements in orbits determined by the law of gravitation. Its last appearance was in 1835, its period varying between seventy-five and seventy-six years on account of the perturbing attractions of Jupiter and Saturn in certain parts of its orbit. It was by that time possible to calculate its movements with so much greater accuracy than before that it made its perihelion passage within four days of the predicted date. It was not then a very grand object to the naked eye, but the light of its nucleus surpassed that of second magnitude stars and was comparable with that of some reddish stars of the first magnitude, such as Aldebaran and Antares. Its tail, while the comet was approaching the sun attained to a length of 20 degrees.—Leslie's Weekly.

Earnings of Novelists.

Authors earn much less in France than in England. The late Sir Walter Besant ten years ago estimated that there were fifty novelists in England who earned upward of a thousand a year. There are now probably nearer 150, while in France there are almost certainly not more than fifty who make a living at all. An English novelist of standing will receive 18 pence on every copy of a book sold. Some novelists receive 2 shillings. Emile Zola, who touched high water mark in France, got a franc, which is rather less than tenpence. Sevenpence halfpenny is considered excellent pay, and fourpence and fivepence are common.—T. P.'s London Weekly.

Reform and Round Tables.

China undertook by article 12 of the protocol to reform her foreign office. All that has been done is to change the name tsung-li-yamen to wai-wu-pu and to alter the shape of the minister's table, which was formerly round and is now rectangular. We confess, however, that a Chinaman might meet our criticism here by quoting Bacon, who discusses with great gravity the effect on business of long tables and square tables, respectively, and declares that, though these seem things of form, they are things of substance, "for at a long table a few at the upper end in effect sway all the business."—London Spectator.

Humor of a Paris Sunday.

The compulsory closing act is developing the humorous sense of Parisians. The other Sunday a well known haberdasher's shop had its windows beautifully dressed with cravats of every conceivable color and description. "Exceptional opportunity! All these ties only 15 cents each. For today only." But the door of the shop was closed and bolted. The next morning would be customers flocked to it to buy some of the wonderful ties, only to learn that the notice no longer held good. This reminds one of the barber who advertised, "Customers will be shaved free of charge tomorrow."—Paris Intransigeant.

Keep Your Feet Warm.

Most of the pulmonary troubles come from cold or wet feet. Keep your feet warm and dry, and you can stand a great deal of exposure. Motormen tell me that they never suffer from frozen or chilled feet because they put powdered sulphur in their shoes or socks. This is worth knowing. Some prefer it in their shoes, while others sift it in their socks. Take your choice. I knew a farmer who put a teaspoonful of red pepper in his shoes every winter morning before going out to his labors, and he never suffered from cold. He knew nothing of the uses of sulphur.—New York Press.

India's Huge Population.

By the last census the population of India is given as 294,361,056, an increase of 7,046,385 as compared with 1891. The population of the British territory is 231,899,507; that of the native states 62,461,549. The urban population is 29,244,221. Considering the religion of India and dependencies, there were 2,923,241 Christians, 207,147,026 Hindoos, 62,458,077 Mohammedans and 9,476,759 Buddhists. There were 277,728,485 persons who were unable to read and write and only 15,686,421 who could read and write.

JOKES OF ACTORS.

Pranks on Comrades That Are Played Before the Audience.

Practical jokes right in front of the audience are not unknown among experienced actors. Care has to be taken that the business of the scene is not interfered with, or the stage manager would speedily be camping on the trail of the too enterprising humorist.

"A rather cruel but at the same time very amusing joke was played upon an unpopular member of a Shakespearean repertoire company with which I once toured," said a veteran actor to the writer.

"The unpopular one was playing the ghost in 'Hamlet' on this particular night, and the scene was managed in the old fashioned way—the 'majesty of buried Denmark' rising through a trap instead of coming on from the wings, as modern ghosts do. Two of the company stationed themselves beneath the stage, and as soon as the victim's head went up through the trap they began to belabor his legs well with a couple of stout canes.

"The winch raising the platform on which the victim stood was turned very slowly in order to impart proper solemnity to the ghost's appearance. Picture the efforts of the poor mummer to prevent the anguish he suffered showing on his face, which, of course, was in full view of the audience!"

Worse, far worse, was the fate of some unfortunate actors who in a popular melodrama had to drink a toast in (stage) champagne. In the ordinary way ginger ale does duty on the boards for that exhilarating wine, but on this occasion some fiend in human form had filled the bottle with paraffin oil. "We dared not leave the stage till the fall of the drop," said one of those who took part in this unusual festivity to the writer afterward, but how we finished that act not one of us knows."

In a once popular drama the leading actress, who was also the proprietress of the "show," dropped dead (as usual) at the end of the third act one night and lay there in full view of the audience waiting for the fall of the curtain. But the man who controlled the curtain refused to lower it.

"You'll have to stay dead," said he in a low voice, "unless you promise to pay me last month's salary from tonight's receipts. Move your right hand if you agree. I've witnesses here."

The lady could not argue, but she waited a full minute. The mutineer remained obdurate. Then the actress' right hand moved ever so slightly and—the curtain fell.—London Answers.

Natural Varnishes.

Fluid resins or oil from several different trees are extensively used in the Philippines as varnishes. One of them, called oil of supa, is a pale yellow liquid when fresh, but it becomes dark and viscous after contact with the air. Spread in a thin layer it dries slowly and forms a hard varnish. It is also capable of being burned in a lamp. Another natural varnish is balao, also called oil of apitong. It is white when fresh, but darkens after exposure and makes a very tough varnish. Oil of panao is a third variety, inferior to the others in its drying properties. Chemical analysis has shown that all these wood oils consist entirely of hydrocarbons known as sesquiterpenes.

Some Johnson Definitions.

An exhibition of the relics of Dr. Samuel Johnson in London recalled some of the remarkable definitions that remarkable man inserted in his dictionary. Among them not the least curious was the one given for "network," which was defined as "anything reticulated or decussated at equal distances, with interstices between the intersections." Other amusing definitions are: "Cough—a convulsion of the lungs vellicated by some shar serosity." "Man—not a woman, not a boy, not a beast." "Pension—an allowance made to any one without an equivalent. In England it is generally understood to mean pay to a state hireling for treason to his country."

Mere Sightseers.

"The chief trouble of the miners," says an official of Alaska, "is the lack of variety in their food. One day a young fellow fresh from his lot turned into Seattle and entered a hotel.

"'Bring me some pork and beans,' was his request. The food was brought. 'Now bring me three dozen oysters.' The waiter complied. With the two dishes before him the miner proceeded to say: 'Well, pork and beans, you have been very friendly to me all my days in Alaska. You have stood by me like good fellows. Now stand by me and see me eat oysters.'"—Kansas City Star.

THE SURVIVAL OF THE UNFIT

The average baby born today has a chance of reaching five years of age better by 50 per cent than would have been the case half a century ago. Its prospect of escaping the diseases of childhood and growing up is vastly improved as compared with earlier days. Now, it is very desirable to save the babies, and one of the greatest triumphs of our newer civilization is the successful rearing of three human infants for every two that survived half a century ago. But it is undeniable that the race as a whole suffers by the change, inasmuch as the weaklings, instead of being weeded out, are thus enabled to grow up. These weaklings not only propagate other weaklings, but by reason of their inferior vigor of constitution commonly fail to reach old age. In this fact doubtless is found one cause of the rise in the death rate in later life.—Dr. John V. Shoemaker in Reader.

Marrying Titles.

It is estimated that some 500 wealthy American women have married titled foreigners and that the aggregate of their dowries exceeds $200,000,000. The most heavily dowered bride was the Duchess of Roxburghe (nee Goelet), with a fortune of $40,000,000. The others include the Duchess of Marlborough (nee Vanderbilt), $10,000,000; the late Lady Curzon (nee Leiter), $5,000,000; Countess Castellane (nee Gould), $15,100,000; Mrs. Vivian, $12,000,000; Baroness Halkett, $10,000,000; Lady William Beresford, $3,000,000; Princess Colonna (nee Mackay), $2,500,000; Countess von Larisch, $4,000,000. Thirty British peers or eldest sons of peers and forty-four Englishmen with courtesy titles or baronetcies married American women.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Worth More Than Real Coin.

A well known photographer who recently paid into his bank a sovereign which appeared to be much worn was astonished a short time afterward to find that its value had been credited to him at 21 shillings. It appears that on reaching the mint the coin was discovered to be a clever counterfeit made of platinum heavily gilded. At the time at which it is supposed to have been made it was worth about seven and sixpence, but at the present price of platinum a sovereign's weight of that ponderous metal is worth much more than a sovereign's weight of gold.—Amateur Photographer.

Comfort Versus Style.

Dr. Hans Richter, the famous musical conductor, is a thorough believer in comfort in dress and not infrequently sets fashion at defiance. One broiling evening in Paris he led the orchestra wearing the regulation dress coat and a pair of cricketing trousers, never dreaming that he would have to come into full view of the audience. At the end of the opera, however, so clamorous were the calls for him that he was compelled to show himself before the footlights arrayed as he was. His unconventional appearance led to explosions of laughter.

Too Busy to Eat.

A very busy man is the ameer of Afghanistan. Sometimes he even forgets to have his meals and is obliged to ask his courtiers whether he has eaten his dinner or not. He goes to bed at 5 or 6 in the morning and gets up at about 2 in the afternoon and always has his horse ready saddled at his door, fresh bread in the pockets of his clothes and revolvers and swords close at hand in case he is compelled to go on a sudden journey.

Copper In Greenland.

The discovery of copper in Greenland will put the arctic continent more prominently on the commercial map. Since the decline in the need for cryolite fewer vessels have been keeping the Greenlanders in communication with civilization, and they will doubtless welcome any discovery that will renew the visitations from the south.—Milwaukee Wisconsin.

Talking on Stilts.

The Fortnightly Review, in a learned article, says: "Phonetic individualism would presently result in a state of sheer linguistic deliquescence. This, of course, is an absolutely unthinkable eventuality." A few more like that will put an end to opposition to the simplified spelling propaganda.—Washington Post.

English Society.

Cockney is rapidly becoming the current dictum of the best English society. A well brought up young lady was recently heard to call across the table at a shooting lunch to a man with Wellingtonian nose and domelike forehead, "Now, then, bird faice, pass the rabbit food."—Vanity Fair.

A LITTLE NONSENSE.

Figuring Out How Much He Was Taught at School.

A schoolmaster had been severely correcting one of his boys and finished by saying:

"Now sit down and write to your parents, telling them how much you are taught here and how little you profit therefrom."

The boy cried a good deal, then wrote:

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"This time," said the master, "we will—er—overlook your conduct, and you needn't send that note." (He had been overlooking.)—Judge's Library.

The Cause of It.

Casey—My, oh, my, where did ye git the black eye?

Cassidy—Oh, 'twas jisht Flannery's baby thot done thot.

Casey—G'wan! Shure, no baby could hit ye a clip like thot.

Cassidy—Well, all I know is that if it hadn't been fur Flannery's baby there'd have been no christenin'.—Philadelphia Press.

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H. H. GRANICE, Editor.

Archbishop Montgomery.

"Words, money, all things else, are comparatively easy to give away; but when a man makes a gift of his daily life and practice, it is plain that the truth, whatever it may be, has taken possession of him."

What a simple but beautiful life was that of Archbishop Montgomery, of whom we read in his obituary, "he left nothing but his books." Strong in his faith, firm in his hope, unceasing in his charities, his magnificent and wonderful personality radiated an influence which will never be forgotten by the community of which he was a part. Having lived such a life and consecrated it to his church and his fellows he fulfilled a mission more to be desired than all the career of fame, whether by prose or poetry, science or art. His every day life was a finished work. He left nothing undone, for when one has performed just a single act of real kindness or charity, or wept in real pity with the stricken or repentant, cheered or comforted the wounded and dying, he gives a far greater and more satisfactory expression to the divine within him than philosopher or poet, physician or painter.

Archbishop Montgomery was a man of brilliant attainments, an untiring worker, an active citizen, but he sought not the praise nor the place that came to him in life and is now so evident since his death. The love and respect accorded him by those of all creeds tells what manner of man he was. Venerated by his churchmen, revered and beloved by his friends, respected by the public, mourned by all, he has passed to the reward which awaits all those who would emulate him. He lived a life of true Christian example and yet was active in all phases of citizenship. He was ever close to the people and the good impulses he drew forth and awakened in the hearts of those about him is a priceless heritage. If we remember the simile of the soul and its likeness unto a temple, we must in this case feel that God was building it day by day. Precious thoughts, disinterested love, all penetrating, faith contributed to its perfection.

Beautiful Conceit, Not Moral Purpose.

The ways of the world and the institutions of civilization have been reorganized and revolutionized during the progress of the centuries, and yet the process continues and we feel the necessity of change as keenly as our antecedents, who strove for reform and criticized their environment.

The cry for "the simple life" has been sounded and yet it has not taken very deep root, for many cling to the superficial and glory in ostentation. A San Francisco minister has been criticised for holding his services in a theatre instead of a regular house of divinity. Underlying the condemnation there seems to be not so much of the moral purpose as the beautiful conceit which women feel when they rustle down the aisles of a church more intent on the impression their presence will make on the congregation than their churchly duties and obligation of spirit.

A good preacher and a handsome church will prove the nucleus of a fashionable congregation. Because the masses rather than the class come together in the auditorium in question there is no opportunity for display; therefore the criticism. It is well, however, to note that some of our clergymen have backbone as well as meekness and humility.

Editor J. C. Keene of the Windsor Sun is dead. Previous to removing his newspaper plant to Windsor he had been engaged in newspaper work at Healdsburg, where he established the Sun about seven years ago and continued to publish it until his removal to Windsor. Mr. Keene had been in poor health for years, but being a man of indomitable pluck and perseverence he remained at the helm of his newspaper and guided its course in an upright, fair and impartial manner. Like most editors who amount to anything and who are not the creatures of their fellows, Mr. Keene had his opinions and he dared to express them. In his passing, the people of Healdsburg and Windsor have lost an honest man and a conscientious journalist.

Louisiana has enacted a law which permits cities of over 10,000 inhabitants to appoint women factory inspectors. The mayor of New Orleans has appointed Miss Jean Gordon as inspector for that city. Miss Gordon has taken a prominent part in civil movements and is peculiarly well-qualified for the position.

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Some of the legislative body at Sacramento want free lumber. It is a wonder they don't want free board.

The National Grango, at its recent annual meeting in Denver, passed a resolution in favor of woman suffrage by unanimous vote.

HAPPENINGS IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

Many Matters Disposed of By Judges Seawell and Denny.

A resume of the calendar day proceedings in the Superior Court on Monday were as follows:

In Judge Seawell's department the property of the estate of Rachael Todd was ordered distributed.

Public administrator F. L. Blackburn was named administrator on the estate of Thomas O'Gorman.

The second annual account of the estate of D. G. Clary was settled and the guardian's bond was fixed at $2800.

The final account was settled and distribution ordered of the estate of Margaret Maguire.

Ira E. Trotter was named administrator on the estate of Frank T. Trotter in bond of $900.

The final account of the estate of Patrick Graham was settled and allowed.

A decree of final discharge was granted in the estate of Martha Runcy and a similar order was made in the estate of Phil Ward.

The matter of vesting the community property of the estate of Catherine Alton was partially heard.

The suit of Westrup vs. Peterson was continued to January 21.

The suit of Mattingly vs. Threfall was continued to January 21.

Judgment of dismissal was entered in the suit of Bloom vs. Grant.

An interlocutory decree was granted in the suit of Brunson vs. Brunson.

Default was entered in the suit of Moore vs. Moore and the matter was referred to the court commissioner.

An order of sale of real estate was made in the estate of Eliza Switzer in a bond of $4000.

The estate of Julius C. Stamer was continued to January 21.

A petition to correct inventory and set aside order of sale was granted in the estate of John J. Dayton.

The final account was settled and allowed in the estate of Sophia T. Craig.

The estate of F. M. Olson was continued to January 21.

The petition to transfer the estate of Edna Antionette Matthias, et al., minors, to Angeles was granted.

A family allowance was granted in the estate of Julius Ort in accordance with the court's orders.

Judgment as to Grant was settled in the suit of Bloom vs. Mining Co. and Grant.

The order setting the suit of Skillman vs. Skillman was set aside and continued to January 21.

In Judge Denny's department the case of the People vs. St. Martin was dismissed on motion of the district attorney on the ground of insufficiency of the evidence to convict.

The suit of I. B. Henry vs. City of Santa Rosa, et al., was set for trial January 24.

The suit of Simoni vs. Lachmann was set for trial for February 26.

The suit of J. J Keating vs. The Union Trust Savings Bank was submitted and taken under advisement.

The suits of Wheeler, et al., vs. Wheeler, et al., Andrew Markham vs. Western Redwood Co., Case vs. Wheeler and J. F. Wheeler vs. Annie Wheeler were continued to January 28.

The suits of the Socrates Investment Co. vs. F. A. Huntington, et al., and Burris, et al., vs. Flannigan were continued to January 21.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN,
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The Joy

of living is to have good health. Use Herbine and you will have bushels of joy. You need not be blue, fretful and have that bad taste in your mouth. Try a bottle of Herbine, a positive cure for all liver complaints. E. Harrell, Austin, Texas, writes: "I have used Herbine for over a year, and find it a fine regulator. I gladly recommend it as a fine medicine for Dyspepsia." For sale by L. S Simmons, druggist.

Cut this out and take it to L. S. Simmons' drug store and get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets These tablets are far superior to pills, being easier to take and more pleasant in effect. They correct disorders of the stomach, liver and bowels

Wanted—10 men in each state to travel, distribute samples of our goods and tack signs. Salary $85 per month; $3 per day for expenses. Saunders Co, Department P, No. 46 Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Ills.

The Daily Chronicle and Index-Tribune only $9 for the two newspapers.

Cured of Lung Trouble.

"It is now eleven years since I had a narrow escape from consumption," writes C. O. Floyd, a leading man of Kershaw, S. C. "I had run down in weight to 135 pounds, and coughing was constant both by day and by night. Finally I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and continued this for about six months, when my cough and lung trouble were entirely gone and I was restored to my normal weight. 170 pounds." Thousands of persons are healed every year. Guaranteed at Simmons' drug store. 50c and $1. Trial bottle free.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

CLARY'S GOOD-SHOES SANTA ROSA, CAL.

Buy Shoes at Clary's Sale of Women and Children's shoes and save money

No one can afford to miss this sale.

Prices for stylish, serviceable and durable shoes are so low that it pays to buy them even if you aren't in need of them right now.

We are so anxious to have the room and so determined to have all the stock of women and children's shoes cleared out, that we have sacrificed the stock and are selling them at prices that were never before known.

Hundred of people have taken advantage of this sale and still some mighty fine bargains remain.

Don't let another day go by without getting your share of these great shoe bargains. A few ideas as to prices:

Ladies' Kid Shoes, regular $2.50 grade Sale Price, - - - $1.35

CLARY'S GOOD SHOES Santa Rosa

FIFTH AND MENDOCINO STREETS

The New Game Laws

Permit you to catch striped bass at this time of the year. A full line of tackle on hand now. Also, shot guns at San Francisco prices.

We still sell the best loaded shell in town—the Ballistite.

CLEWE.

General Merchandise at Schocken's.

Our Goods are Fresh----Our prices Low

We offer specialties every week.
Give us a call and see how much we can save you.

S. SCHOCKEN North Side Plaza SONOMA

PATRONIZE HOME ENTERPRISE.

Sonoma Brewing Co. And Bottling Works.

SCHNURR & STEINER

Manufacurers of **STEAM BEER** made from best hops and malt only and the purest artesian water. Bottlers and agents for the celebrated **BOHEMIA LAGER BEER**

Wagon calls daily for orders and deliveries in Sonoma Valley. Your trade solicited. Brewery and plant Second-street East, Sonoma.

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A Specialty ..... AT .....

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Napa Street, Sonoma, Cal.

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Everything New and Fresh.

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Full line Stratton's Fine Strings for Violin, Mandolin, Guitar & Banjo Cigars, Pipes, Tobacco.

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Napa Street, Sonoma.

Fine Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

WM. KERNER, PROPRIETOR

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Central Market

FOR FINE----

BEEF, MUTTON, VEAL, PORK,
SAUSAGE, HAMS & BACON

VEGETABLES, EGGS, CHEESE AND BUTTER. FRESH FISH EVERY THURSDAY.

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VETERINARY HORSE-SHOEING SHOP

West Side Plaza, Sonoma (Wm. Rambo's old stand.)

J. H. MURRAY,

Late foreman Ed. Graney's horseshoeing shop, S. F.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY USE

Sure Cold Cure

25c. Made by L. S. SIMMONS The Prescription Druggist.

GARIBALDI HOUSE,

EUGENE NARZO, Proprietor.

(Successor to L. Modini)

First-class table d'hote service. Moderate rates. East side plaza, Sonoma

From a given amount of wood the

WILSON HEATER

with the Hot Blast Down-Draft will produce twice as much heat as any other. It is because the Down-Draft consumes all the fuel and the gases which arise from it, whereas in other heaters the gases, which constitute one-half the burnable part of the fuel, escape unburned up the chimney. You can start a fire in ten minutes and hold it for 36 hours.

Remember, it is fuel cost which counts.

The Wilson saves one-half your fuel bill.

FOR SALE BY

F. DUHRING.

Index-Tribune.

SONOMA, JAN. 19, 1907.

Official Paper of Sonoma.

BRIEF MENTION

Hunting notices at this office.

Daunt does the only reliable watch repairing. *

Suits, skirts and coats reduced. Sonoma Racket Store.

Now is the time to get your pumps and windmills at J. J. Dunbar's. Plumbing done. *

Any repair work left at Mrs. Lutgen's will receive prompt attention by Daunt. *

Now is the time to lay concrete sidewalks. See Trudgen, the stone mason, about it. *

Just arrived at J. J. Dunbar's a fine assortment of the latest and best steel ranges and stoves. *

M. D. Hopking of Petaluma, who was defeated at the election for county assessor, has been given a position on one of the committees of the legislature by Senator Price.

Wanted--Lady to advertise our goods locally. Several weeks home work. Salary $12 per week, $1.00 a day for expenses. Saunders Co., Department W, 46–48 Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Ill. *

Fred Batto, of John Batto & Sons, transacted business in San Francisco last Monday. This firm is doing quite an extensive business in hay, grain and feed stuffs and in the summer and fall months handle large quantities of green and dried fruit.

The card of Lafferty & Smith, the well-known undertaking firm of Santa Rosa, appears elsewhere in these columns. This firm is conducting funerals all over the county and attend to 'phone-calls night or day from adjoining towns. Their parlors are located on the corner of Fifth and A streets, Santa Rosa, and their 'phone number is Main 85.

Laid to Rest in Mountain Cemetery.

The remains of the late Marian Harvey, who died near Santa Rosa on Thursday of last week, were brought to this place Saturday morning and interred in Mountain Cemetery. The funeral was conducted by Lafferty & Smith of Santa Rosa. The deceased was born in this valley about fifty years ago and was well known to all the old residents. He was a nephew of Postmaster Cheney of this place.

An Alpine Scene

The mountains flanking Sonoma Valley on the west have been snow-capped all the week, presenting a veritable Alpine scene. The snow in many places in the mountains surrounding the valley is from eighteen inches to two feet in depth and is frozen solid. Farmers and dairymen on the mountain ranches for the first time in their lives have been compelled to feed their stock the past two weeks owing to the unusual and unprecedented fall of snow.

Literary Society.

The Sonoma Literary Society met last Monday evening and organized with the following officers: President, R. H. Piatt; vice-president, Dr. Van Amringe; secretary, Mrs. Elizabeth Davis; treasurer, T. A. Lewis. The next meeting of the society will be held at the home of Prof. and Mrs. T. A. Lewis on Monday evening, January 28th. The subject to be discussed will be Tennyson.

How to Cure Chilblains.

"To enjoy freedom from Chilblains," writes John Kemp, East Otisfield, Me., "I apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Have also used it for salt rheum with excellent results." Guaranteed to cure fever, sores, indolent ulcers, piles, burns, wounds, frost bites and skin diseases. 25c at Simmons' drug store.

Daily Call and INDEX-TRIBUNE $9 per year.

Delayed Train.

The Southern Pacific passenger train was three hours late Monday night owing to a blockade caused by a derailed freight car between the Oakland mole and the Sixteenth street station in that city. Eight or ten trains en route to northern and southern points in the State were also tied up by the blockade.

SONOMA ELECTRIC RAILWAY FRANCHISE

Application for An Extension of Time Turned Down.

Messrs. Schocken and Weber, the promoters of the Sonoma Electric Railway, appeared before the Board of City Trustees last Wednesday evening, and asked for an extension of one year in which to commence work on the road and complete it.

With this object in view the following resolution was introduced by Trustee Breitenbach, which received a second from Trustee Bates:

WHEREAS, This Board on March 1, 1905, did grant to S. Schocken and Oscar T Weber a franchise to construct an electric railroad over, along and upon the streets of the City of Sonoma, the same to be completed in two years, as per the provisions of Ordinance No. 78 of said city; and

WHEREAS, Said Schocken and Weber will not be able to complete same within said time and have applied to this Board for an extension of two years from March 1, 1907, to complete the same, it is ordered that said Schocken and Weber be and they are hereby granted an extension of one year from March 1, 1907; provided that no other person, firm or corporation shall within said time apply for a similar franchise. In the event of the application in good faith of any person, firm or corporation for a like franchise this Board reserves the right to grant the same and the said Schocken and Weber shall thereupon for such consideration as shall be named by this Board, convey all their right under said franchiie No. 78 to such applicants, proceeds for the same to go to the City of Sonoma.

A ballot was called for on the resolution which was defeated by the following vote:

Aye—Breitenbach, Bates.

Nay—Wagnon, McDonell, Hotz.

It is understood that the matter will again come up at the February meeting of the Board when a reconsideration will be moved by Trustee Breitenbach.

Colonial Ball.

At the last meeting of the Woman's Improvement Club of Glen Ellen it was decided to give a Colonial Ball on Washington's Birthday, February 22d. The club members will all wear the costume of that period and it is hoped that many others will adopt the same mode, as it is bright and becoming and will add much to the festive appearance of the assembly. The proceeds from this party will be devoted to the building of a club house, for which the lot has already been promised by our most generous and public-spirited citizen, Dr. C. C. O'Donnell.

Frank E. Dowd, County Assessor is Honored.

County Assessor Frank E. Dowd of Santa Rosa at the State convention of county assessors, held in Sacramento this week, was unanimously chosen president of the association Tuesday. Mr. Dowd, who is one of the most competent assessors of the State, is now serving his third term as county assessor of this county.

City Taxes.

The second installment of city taxes is due and payable on the first Monday in February and must be paid on or before that date or they will become delinquent.

100 Doses $1

True only of Hood's Sarsaparilla, the one great blood purifier and general tonic. This remarkable medicine has effected many radical and permanent cures that are the wonder of the world. It eradicates all humors from pimples to scrofula.

100 Doses $1

In usual liquid form or in chocolated tablets known as **Sarsatabs.** 100 doses $1.

S. H. HAVEN,

HARDWARE

Our line of Stoves, Ranges and Heaters has just arrived. See us before buying. We have a full stock of Phoenix Horse Shoes. We make a specialty of Builders' Harware

Cor. Napa and First St. West

Opposite the Union Stables

NEWMAN'S BOND IS ACCEPTED

The Work on the New City Hall Will Now Be Resumed.

At an adjourned meeting of the City Trustees, held last Wednesday evening, the bond of James B. Newman of Napa, in the sum of $4000, to complete the city hall for $14,200, was accepted. By the terms of the agreement between the contractor and the city the building must be completed within 150 working days.

Contractor Newman will take up the work of completing the building immediately and it will be ready for occupancy about next June.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES.

J. G. Marcy transacted business in San Francisco Monday.

Miss Nancy Bates is visiting relatives in San Francisco this week.

James H. Albertson transacted business in San Francisco last Tuesday.

Miss Jeanette Cooper returned from a brief visit to Oakland Monday evening.

A. F. Pauli came up from the city and spent Sunday with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Sims of San Francisco were guests at Rhinefarm Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Humphreys Lewis has resigned as a teacher of the Sonoma grammar school.

J. W. Bailey and Miss Anna M. Deardoff of Eldridge were married in San Rafael recently.

R. J. Kerr of the City of Mexico was in town Sunday, the guest of the Kelly's at Lachryma Montis.

The late J. S. Young, previous to his death, deeded his El Verano property to his widow. The deed was recorded last Tuesday.

Rev. Father Leahy, pastor of St. Francis Church, attended the funeral of Arch Bishop Montgomery in San Francisco Monday.

Capt. P. N. Stofer came up from San Francisco Saturday evening and spent Sunday with his family at his cozy home on Broadway.

Clarence Cheney, who holds a lucrative position in Rosenthal's shoe house on Van Ness avenue, San Francisco, was in town Sunday.

Emil Graziani and Miss Cella Pallini of Agua Caliente were married by Superior Judge Denny in Santa Rosa on Friday of last week.

H. F. Bates accompanied by his daughter, Miss Nancy, took the afternoon train for the metropolis last Sunday for a short visit with relatives there.

R. H.W. Jaques of Easby Abbey, Yorkshire, England, is the guest of Capt. and Mrs. H. E Boyes at their commodious county home near Boyes Hot Springs.

George Bulotti, who is now conducting a prosperous plumbing establishment in San Francisco, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. Bulotti, last Sunday.

Walter C. Lindsay, who ran on the Republican ticket for county auditor and was defeated by Chas. A. Pool, has been appointed a deputy in Sheriff Jack Smith's office.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome J. Hickey visited San Francisco Tuesday. Mr. Hickey is a retired policeman of San Francisco, having been many years on the force and has brought many offenders to justice.

Mrs. H. M. Reeves, president of the Sonoma and Napa Christian Endeavor Union of Santa Rosa, was in town Sunday and attended a local meeting of the society. She was accompanied by Miss A. R. Smith.

V. H. Berry of Honolulu is here looking for a home. At present he is negotiating for George Lee's place, located in the northeastern part of town, one of the most sheltered and sunniest spots in all the Sonoma Valley. Mr. Berry, who is accompanied by his wife, has been a resident of Honolulu for fourteen years, where he has large business interests. He comes here for the benefit of his wife's health and may engage in the real estate business here, but will not dispose of his interests in the islands.

The Right Name.

Mr. August Sherpe, the popular overseer of the poor at Fort Madison, Ia., says: "Dr. King's New Life Pills are rightly named; they act more agreeably, do more good and make one feel better than any other laxative." Guaranteed to cure biliousness and constipation. 25c at Simmons' drug store.

A Popular Appointment.

The appointment by Sheriff Jack Smith of Constable Joe Ryan as his deputy here has met with universal approval. Officer Ryan, as a deputy under ex-Sheriff Grace, won the good opinion of our law-abiding citizens for his success in running down offenders and capturing them. No better appointment could have been made.

THE STORM KING STILL HOLDS SWAY

Turns Loose Flood Gates of Heaven and Deluges Valley With Rain, Hail and Snow.

The past week has been the stormiest in the history of Sonoma Valley and the flood gates of heaven has poured down upon the devoted heads of the people rain, snow, sleet and hail by turns. It has stormed all week without a let-up. One day there would be rain, another day snow and still on other days there has been a combination of rain, hail and snow, with the result that this land of sunshine, fruit and flowers has been converted for the first time since the memory of man runneth not to the contrary, into a veritable Polar region, so much so that many of our scientifically inclined people profess to believe that the great seismatic disturbance of last April has shifted the North Pole to the Sonoma Valley. Anyhow, it looks that way when one gazes at the surrounding snow-capped mountains.

Tuesday night there was a new moon and it heralded in a howling southeasterly gale accompanied by rain, sleet and another heavy fall of snow which fast disappeared in the valley, but added to its depth in the mountains. The rainfall, as reported by Robert Hall, local U. S. Signal Service observer, has been as follows: For the storm 5.04 and for the season 15.14 inches.

Women's Clubs Covention.

The annual convention of California's Federation of Women's Clubs will hold its sessions in Bakersfield, February 6-7-8. 1907. Mrs. F. S. Packard, chairman of the Press Committee, writes us that the local clubs are making great efforts to insure a particularly successful meeting. Committees will meet the delegates at trains and great attention will be shown the visitors on every hand as the Bakersfield ladies are very enthusiastic over their privilege of entertaining so prominent a body of women. An excellent program has been arranged and preparations are under way for the entertainment of a large number of delegates and their friends. A round-trip rate of one and one-third has been made by the railroads.

GLEN ELLEN

By Aurora.

Constable Jerry Allen has been appointed a deputy sheriff for this township.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Zane of Bellingham, State of Washington, who have been visiting relatives in Healdsburg for several weeks, are here, the guests of Mr. Zane's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Zane. After a short stay they will return to their home in Bellingham.

AURORA.

It Quiets the Cough

This is one reason why Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is so valuable in consumption. It stops the wear and tear of useless coughing. But it does more—it controls the inflammation, quiets the fever, soothes, heals. Ask your doctor about this.

The best kind of a testimonial—"Sold for over sixty years."

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass. Also manufacturers of

Ayer's SARSAPARILLA. PILLS. HAIR VIGOR.

We have no secrets! We publish the formulas of all our medicines.

Hasten recovery by keeping the bowels regular with Ayer's Pills.

THE SONOMA

Racket Store's

STOCK REDUCTION SALE

Our entire stock now offered at cut from regular prices of from 10 to 50 per cent. NOTHING RESERVED. All purchases credited on Premium Tickets. Our buyer, anticipating the scarcity of goods which now exists in wholesale markets, placed orders for SPRING GOODS several months ago, amounting to several thousand dollars. These goods begin to arrive in a few days.

As our regular sales cannot move stock fast enough to make room for these incoming goods, we have decided to double our sales by irresistible prices. The following will give some idea of the heavy reductions. Bemember our entire stock is included in this sale, but prices hold good only during sale.

FURNISHING GOODS

Men's	$3.50 Sweaters now		$2.50
"	3.00 "	"	2.00
"	2.50 "	"	1.75
"	2.00 "	"	1.25
"	1.50 & 1.75	"	1.00
"	1.25 sweaters	"	.85
"	1.00 "	"	.65
"	.50 "	"	.25

Prices for Boys' Sweaters cut in same proportion as men's.

Broken Lines of Goods

Lines of goods with some sizes sold out and of which we expect to receive no more, are what we call broken lines, and will cut very low to close out :

Men's	$1.00 Wool Underwear		65c
"	1.00 Wool Overshirts		65c
"	1.50 "	"	1.00

CLOTHING

Men's	$7.50 suits now	-	$5.00
$10.00 & $12.00	"	"	8.50
20.00	"	"	15.00
Boys'	$2.75	"	1.75
"	3.00	"	2.00
"	3.75	"	2.75
"	4.00	"	2.75
"	6.00	"	4.00
"	6.50 Overcoats		4.50
"	10.00 "		6.50

The above are broken lines.

MILLINERY

We overbought in Winter Millinery, having on hand about 200 Ladies' and Misses' nice trimming hats, ranging in price from $2.50 to $5.00 each.

We pride ourselves in showing a new up-to-date stock each season, and WILL NOT KEEP THEM OVER.

The price of every hat is now $1.25. If you don't get a nice $4.50 or $5.00 hat out of this lot for $1.25 it is not our fault. They are here at this writing.

Our Men's Overcoats could not be sold for prices marked were we to buy at present wholesale prices but will give a discount on the whole line of 12½ per cent. All good coats and some Cravenette Rain Coats among them.

Ladies' And Children's Coats

This is another line of goods that must be cleared out.

One lot of Children's Coats, now $1.50 each.

One lot of fifteen Ladies' Coats, now $2.50 each.

All other coats, suits and skirts 25 per cent off.

LADIES' FURS

We have still on hand thirty nice Furs, ranging in price from $1.25 to $22.50, and will be closed out at two-thirds regular price, making the $1.50 fur 85c, the $5.00 furs $3.35, and the $10.00 furs $6.65 each. When you compare our regular prices with what these Furs usually cost you'll realize that this is a rare opportunity to secure a nice fur.

Piece Goods of all Kinds

Our piece goods are all new and worth more to-day than they are marked. But we allow the 10 per cent just the same during the sale.

SHOES

Whatever we have in broken lines of shoes, 25 per cent off. All other lines 10 per cent off.

SEWING MACHINES

All Sewing Machines at cut prices. We carry fifteen different kinds, including all the best makes, at prices from $50.00 to $25.00.

We have no space or time to mention more, only to say our entire stock at cut prices. You can't pay us more than 90c for a dollar's worth of goods during this sale.

THE SONOMA RACKET STORE.

Our Senator and Assemblymen.

State Senator Walter F. Price and Assemblymen Weske and Collister have each been honored with the chairmanship of a committee in the State legislature at Sacramento. Senator Price is chairman of the Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands Committee and a member of the following committees: Agriculture, Fruits and Vine Interests, Asylums and Hospitals, and Insurance and Laws.

Assemblymen Weske is a member of the Committee on Public Morals, Revision and Reform of Laws, and State Hospitals and Asylums.

Assemblyman Collister is chairman of the Committee on Ventilation and Accoustics, and a member of the Committee on Dairies and Dairy Products, Reform of Civil Service and Roads and Highways.

Principal and High School Teachers Selected.

The high school trustees have elected Prof. Lewis principal of the school vice De Witt Montgomery, who recently resigned to assume his new duties as superintendent of schools of this county.

The other teachers selected were the following: Mrs. Beatrice Moore, vice-principal; Miss Catherine Meyer, and R. H. Piatt teacher of the commercial course.

Wise Counsel From the South.

"I want to give some valuable advice to those who suffer with lame back and kidney trouble," says J. R. Blankenship, of Beck, Tenn. "I have proved to an absolute certainty that Electric Bitters will positively cure this distressing condition. The first bottle gave me great relief and after taking a few more bottles, I was completely cured; so completely that it becomes a pleasure to recommend this great remedy." Sold under guarantee at Simmons' drug store. Price 50c.

Millinery half price to make a quick sure sale. We now cut prices square in the center. Sonoma Racket Store.

COUNTY NEWS ITEMS.

District Attorney Clarence F. Lea dismissed the charge of murder against Peter St. Martin Monday, the insufficiency of the evidence being the ground.

Ex-County Surveyor N. V. V. Smyth has opened a surveyor's office on Mendocino avenue, Santa Rosa. Mr. Smyth is one of the most reliable surveyors in Northern California.

Conrad Temple, a pioneer merchant and a resident for a half a century of Petaluma, dropped dead Monday morning on the street of that city, while on his way to his place of business. A few minutes before he had left he was apparently in his usual health. He was widely known and his death came as a great shock.

W. C. Eder, district engineer of maintenance of way of the Southern Pacific, has been elected chief engineer of the Northwestern Pacific Railroad Company. This is the company that recently took over the California Northwestern. Thos. Mellersh, who for many years past has been comptroller of the road, has been chosen to succeed himself.

A coyote weighing 35 pounds was captured in a trap on the Matzen ranch near Petaluma Sunday. The carcass of an animal was placed alongside the trap and attracted the coyotte, who wandered into the trap. He was knocked in the head and has been sent into the county clerk's office to secure the reward of five dollars given by the county. This is a large varmint.

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Selected for Trial Jurors.

The Board of Supervisors on Thursday selected the following to serve as trial jurors in Sonoma, Glen Ellen and Vallejo Township for the year 1907:

Vallejo Township—J. A. Doss, W. K. Atkinson, W. B. Resh, C. H. Highsmith, E. R. Lopus, August Grube, C. E. Marsh, M. Jensen, H. Barnes, W. H. Chamberlain.

Sonoma Township—W Trudgen, N. R. Knight, J. Rosser, J. F. Tate, C. Filippini, E. E. Griffith, N. Tomasi, G. N. Bigelow, H. E. Boyes, E. O. Gates.

Glen Ellen Township—F. Lemoine, J. W. Brand, A. Erickson, A. Froment, C. L. Kunde.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher.* The Kind You Have Always Bought

Baccala's Road House.

A. Baccala has secured a liquor license for his road house at the foot of Napa street, between this place and El Verano, and will soon be open for business. For the present he will use one of the large rooms of his villa for a bar room, but as soon as the weather permits will erect a saloon building which will be separated from the main structure. He also contemplates many other improvements on the property.

Drs. Barkan & Sewall,

Specialists for eye, ear, nose and throat, are now located at 1700 California street, corner Van Ness avenue, San Francisco.

CASTORIA.

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BREVITIES

Hunting notices printed at this office. The very latest form.

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SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE.

Sonoma, Sonoma County, Cal., Jan. 19, 1907.

H. H. GRANICE, Editor.

HARD FIGHTERS.

Sticklebacks Will Attack One Another or Anything Else.

The stickleback is the most combative fish, according to an angling expert. "The raison d'etre for a stickleback encounter," says the writer, "is generally, I believe, that which actuates men to fight over women. When I have watched them myself I have not been able to learn whether there has been a lady 'tiddler' present or not or, if so, which one she was. But, whatever the motive may have been, I have seen them fight with as much desperation as would have been necessary if forty females had been the point of issue. Not only will they fight one another, but they will even go out of their way to attack anything which may appear to them offensive, and if a walking stick be put into the water near a fight the two combatants will almost surely suspend personal animosities for awhile and make for the stick, butting it with their horny noses and trying to saw it in two by swimming on their sides with their stickles rubbing against the wood. Having conquered the stick, the two turn against each other again.

"The victor stickleback assumes a radiant, translucent green, his sides and gills glow with scarlet and gold, while his white under parts shimmer like silver. It is then at its finest. In an aquarium, however, the stickleback loses his combativeness and becomes a faded creature, though at first it fights the glass case if alone and another if it has companions till the mastery is obtained, when victor and conquered swim to the corners and die or pine away.

"The stickleback shoots at its opponent, strikes and is away as quickly as a flash. Then back it comes again. Their spines get covered with blood from each other's body, the spines being used like a saw whenever the one fighter gets under the other. Although the stickleback fights at all seasons, the height of the fighting comes during the mating season."

The First Steamboat Whistle.

Early in May, 1844, the steamer Rochester departed from Buffalo, bound for Chicago. The engineer was a mechanical genius named McGee, and he had constructed a steam whistle from plans which he had seen in a scientific paper. On the way up the lakes he blew it at every stop, much to the astonishment and terror of the inhabitants. Just before reaching Mackinac the Rochester, after a lively race, passed the steamer General Porter, Captain C. L. Gager. Engineer McGee celebrated the victory by blowing his whistle derisively and noisily. When both boats reached the wharfs Captain Gager rushed up in a rage, shaking his fist and daring McGee to come down and face him.

"What are you squawking that thing at me for?" he roared.

And if it had not been for mutual friends steamboat whistling on the lakes might have been introduced with a lively battle of fisticuffs.

Fair Play.

An attache of the American embassy at London tells a story of a butler in the employ of a fine old English family whose long service had inculcated in him a personal and proprietary interest in the sons and daughters of the house. Once, on the occasion of a large dinner party, the conscientious butler observed that one of the members of the family, a young girl who had but recently entered society, was devoting an amount of attention to her agreeable neighbor on the right obviously in excess of that accorded to the less fascinating man on her left. This fact perturbed the butler to a degree that could no longer be borne in silence. So under pretense of passing the culprit a dish the butler managed to whisper respectfully in her ear:

"A little more conversation to the left, miss."—Harper's Weekly.

Cheapest Place For Sulphur.

In a little out of the way street in Boston is a small drug store, the proprietor of which is a peppery little old Irishman, and most of his customers are fellow countrymen. Not long ago one appeared and desired to purchase 10 cents' worth of sulphur. The druggist weighed out the proper amount and was about to wrap it up when the would be purchaser interrupted.

"Sure, an' is thot all I get for tin cints?"

"Faith, is it a barrel ye'll be expecting?" the druggist retorted.

"It is not, but I know a place where I can get more than thot for foive cints," the other asserted.

"Ye do?" the little old fellow exclaimed, dashing the chemical back into the box. "An' I know a place where ye'll get a lot more than thot for nothin' at all!"

Girls Are So Queer.

"No, I never did like him. Why, when he used to write me glowing love letters I would only glance over them once."

"Only once, dear?"

"Well—er—sometimes when I couldn't make out his abominable scrawl I would glance over them a second time."

"Indeed! And was that all?"

"Except sometimes at night I would take them from under my pillow and read them just to kill time."

"And that was the end?"

"Yes, only on rainy days I used to look over them just to see how silly a man can be when he starts writing love letters. But I only glanced over them, dear. I never did like him."—Chicago News.

Dangers of a Cold and How to Avoid Them.

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The following is the process by which to fireproof cloth: Dissolve by gentle heat forty parts boric acid, thirty parts aluminium sulphate, seventeen parts gum tragacanth, nine parts potassium silicate in 450 parts of water. Then make another solution of the following: Thirty parts sodium nitrate, seven parts ammonium borate, seventeen parts ammonium phosphate, 400 parts of water. Mix both solutions and permit the mixture to subside and settle. Decant the clear solution, saturate the textiles with it and hang them up to dry without wringing.—St. Louis Republic.

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Atkins—Why, it was my cat he wanted to shoot. — London Telegraph.

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His Absentmindedness.

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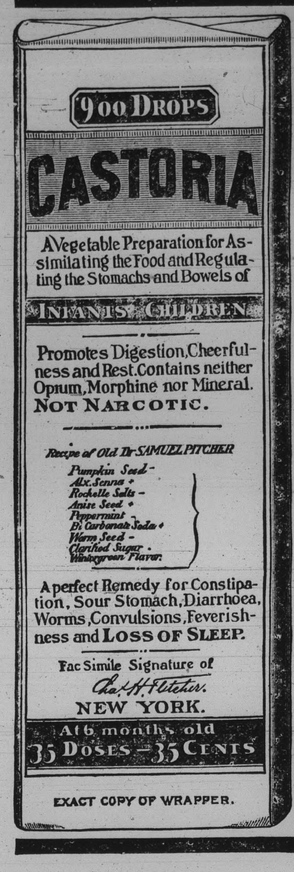
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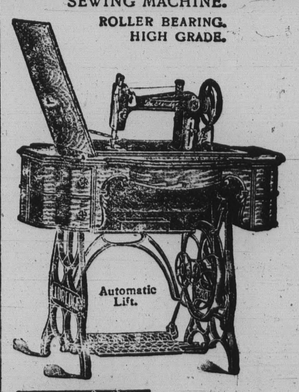

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